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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Boucher, Jr.

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For: *COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT OF AIRWAY
DISEASES AND FOR THE DELIVERY OF AIRWAY DRUGS*

Confirmation No. 8856

Group Art Unit 1617

Examiner: Shengjun Wang

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the final Office Action mailed April 3, 2003 for which Applicant has previously submitted a Request for Continued Examination and Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement on October 3, 2003.

It is respectfully requested that this application be reconsidered in view of the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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